

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Shafer

FILED: November 14, 2001

SERIAL NO.: 09/992,516

FOR: Expression Miniarrays and  
Uses Thereof§ ART UNIT:  
§ 1639  
§  
§ EXAMINER:  
§ Wessendorf, T.  
§  
§ DOCKET:  
§ D6431RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 10 2005

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**


I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and Petition for Extension of Time is being transmitted via facsimile to Examiner T. Wessendorf at 703-872-9306 on the date indicated below:

Date: Feb 10, 2005  
Benjamin Aaron Adler, Ph.D., J.D.**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 10, 2004 please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Reconsideration of claims, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: Feb 10, 2005  
ADLER & ASSOCIATES  
8011 Candle Lane  
Houston, Texas 77071  
(713) 270-5391 (tel.)  
(713) 270-5361 (facs.)  
badler1@houston.rr.com  
Benjamin Aaron Adler, Ph.D., J.D.  
Registration No. 35,423  
Counsel for Applicant